

Wednesday May 25th 1824 The honourable Nicholas Brewer appeared in
the Council Room.

Dear Sir Council Chamber Annapolis May 25th 1824

I am again directed by His Excellency the Governor and the honourable
the Council to ask you, whether the state of the United States Arsenal is such as
to enable the General Government to supply the State on account with about three
hundred Rifles and a few Pistols and Cavalry Swords. The Executive are particularly
desirous of procuring this species of arms, to gratify sundry applications for Rifles
that have been made to them by Uniform Rifle Companies, and unless they are
furnished with them soon, that military spirit which exists to a great degree
will be checked if not finally destroyed. I have the honour to be Sir

Colonel G. Beauford

Wm. Pinkney

From Thursday May 27th 1824 to Saturday June 12th 1824 the hon-
ourable Nicholas Brewer appeared in the Council Room

Monday June 14th 1824

The Council met - Present His Excellency the Governor and the hon-
ourable Thomas Conroy, Chilman Chew, Robert H. Archer and Nicholas Brewer -

On the nomination of His Excellency the Governor the following Militia
appointments were made -

John T. Randall Aid de Camp to General William Jameson commandant
the 11th Brigade.

In the 12th Regiment Saint Marys County - Cornelius Combs Major vice
E. J. Hillard promoted, Thomas J. Bennett Captain vice W. Langley resigned, Thomas L.
Hall Lieutenant vice Bennett promoted, Langley Biscoe Ensign vice Hall promoted